

In The United States District Court  
For The Southern District Of Ohio

Marvallous Keene,	)	Case No. 1:00-CV-421
	)	
Petitioner,	)	Judge Beckwith
	)	
vs.	)	Magistrate Judge Merz
	)	
Betty Mitchell, Warden	)	<b><i>Death Penalty Case</i></b>
	)	
Respondent.	)	

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Affidavit of Marvallous Keene

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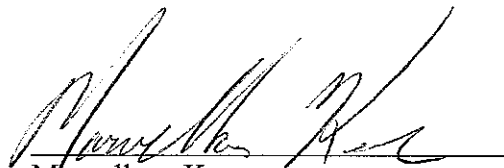
State of Ohio :

County of Mahoning :

I, Marvallous Keene, being duly sworn state the following:

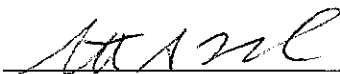
1. My attorneys in the District Court were John Marshall and Rayl Stepter.
2. I only personally met with my attorneys once. That was when they initially took on my case.
3. Rarely did I receive written communications from my attorneys. They did not keep me up to date on the proceedings in this Court.
4. I contacted my attorneys via phone when I had questions.
5. I did not know that counsel requested two extensions of time to object to the Supplemental Report and Recommendation. I was unaware that counsel failed to file objections.
6. I did not waive my right to object. Had counsel consulted me, I would have told them to file objections.

Further affiant sayeth naught.

  
Marvallous Keene

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2006.

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Notary Public

Scott Nowak

Commission expires  
March 27, 2010